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State of Louisiana
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RE: HEARING APPLICATION
Pettet Formation, Reservoir D
Lucky Field
Bienville Parish, Louisiana
Our File No. 280109.0293

Dear Sir:

On behalf of HUNT PETROLEUM CORPORATION, application is hereby made for a public hearing to receive evidence concerning the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Pettet Formation, Reservoir D, in the Lucky Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana:

1. To establish rules and regulations and create a single drilling and production unit (to be designated as PET RD SUA), for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Pettet Formation, Reservoir D, in the Lucky Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana;
2. To permit the Applicant to drill, designate and utilize the Hunt Petroleum Corporation - Weyerhaeuser No. 1 Well, located as shown on the plat attached as Exhibit No. 1 hereto, as the unit well for the proposed PET RD SUA, in exception to the well spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E;
3. To permit the Applicant to drill, designate and utilize its Hunt Petroleum Corporation - VUJ; Southern Adv. B & P "C" No. 1 Well for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Pettet Formation, Reservoir D, at the location shown on the plat attached as Exhibit No. 2 hereto, in exception to the well spacing provisions of Statewide Order 29-E; and
4. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

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The Pettet Formation, Reservoir D, in the Lucky Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing interval encountered between the depths of 7,116 feet and 7,193 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Strand Energy, L.C. - Louisiana Minerals No.1 Well, located in Section 1, Township 15 North, Range 6 West, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

Pertinent data concerning the intended application will be made available for inspection at the offices of the undersigned. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call the undersigned at (318) 221-6858 during normal business hours or write the undersigned at the above address, in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data can be obtained at the expense of the requesting party.

A list of the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties (as defined in the Rules of Procedure) is attached hereto, and a copy of this notice, with the annexed plats, is being sent to each of such persons. A reasonable effort has been made to determine that the enclosed list includes all of the persons to whom this notice must be sent under the Rules of Procedure.

A Pre-Application Conference was held at the offices of Blanchard, Walker, O'Quin & Roberts, 15th Floor Conference Room, Bank One Tower, 400 Texas Street, Shreveport, Louisiana, on March 24, 2005, at 1:30 p.m. In addition to the Applicant's representatives, said conference was attended by the parties shown on the attached attendance list. Following a presentation by Applicant's representatives as to the geological and other bases for its proposal, a general discussion ensued. TMR Exploration, Inc. and Strand Energy, L.C. objected to the location of the proposed Hunt Petroleum Corporation - VUJ; Southern Advance B & P "C" No. 1 Well and as a compromise, the Applicant agreed to move said well to a location as shown on the revised unit plat identified as Exhibit No. 2 attached hereto. The Strand and TMR representatives have agreed that they have no objection to the amended proposal of Hunt Petroleum Corporation with respect to either of the proposed location exceptions to Statewide Order No. 29-E as shown on the attached plats or the proposed PET RD SUA. It is anticipated that the hearing regarding the captioned matter will be uncontested.

A check in the amount of \$1,510.00 made payable to the Commissioner of Conservation is enclosed herewith as the statutory fee for holding the requested hearing.

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This application is being filed in duplicate, and a copy hereof is being sent to Mr. James C. Broussard, Shreveport District Manager of the Office of Conservation, and to each Interested Owner, Represented Party and Interested Party whose name is shown on the attached list.

Very truly yours,

BLANCHARD, WALKER, O'QUIN & ROBERTS

By: 

Wm. Timothy Allen III

Attorneys for Hunt Petroleum Corporation

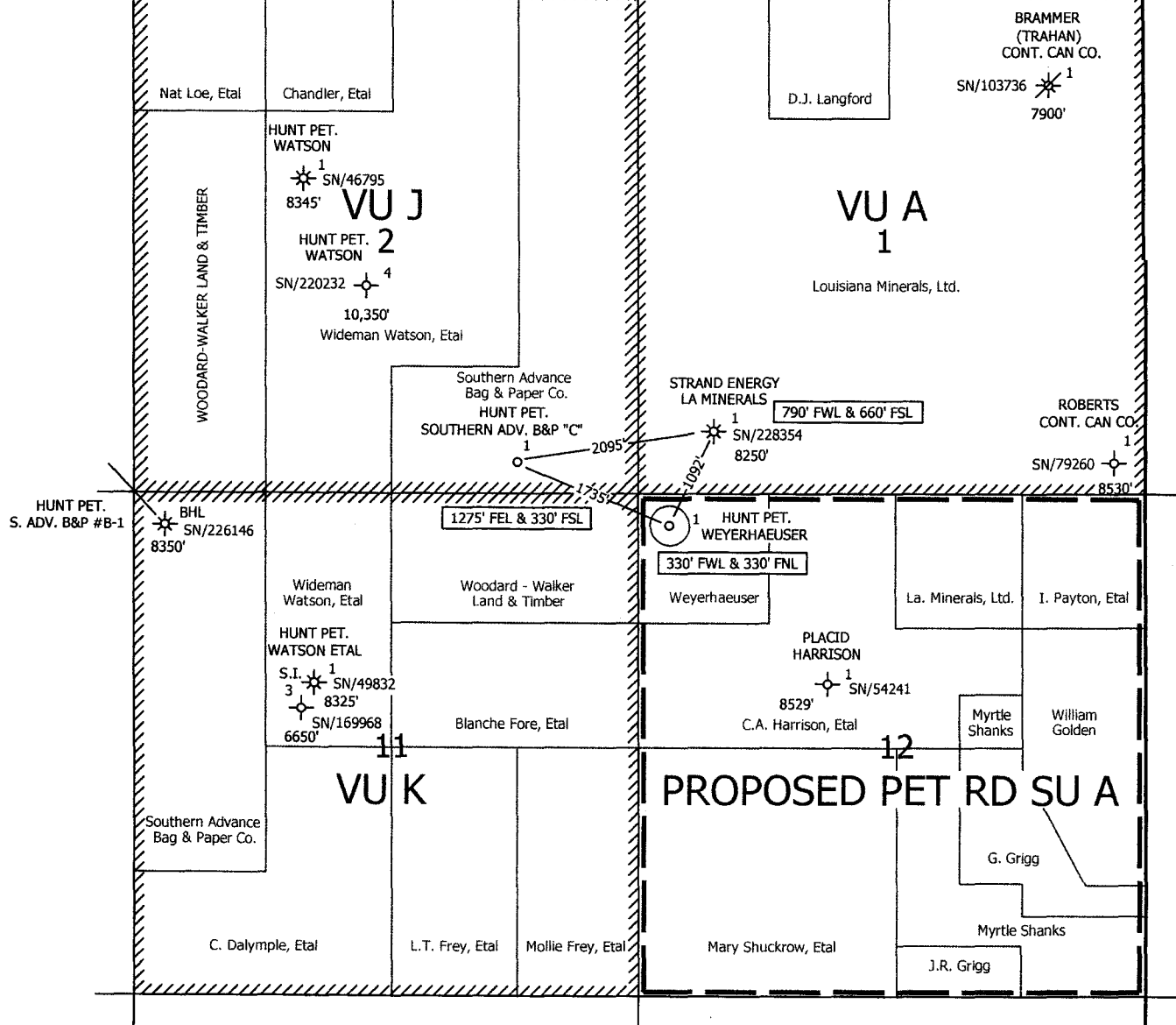
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- cc: Mr. James C. Broussard, District Manager
Office of Conservation, Shreveport, La. (w/enclosures)
- cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties (w/copy of plats only)
- cc: Pre-Application Conference Attendees

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HUNT PETROLEUM CORPORATION

LUCKY FIELD
BIENVILLE PARISH, LOUISIANA

PLAT SHOWING PROPOSED UNIT AND PROPOSED UNIT WELL
AT AN EXCEPTIONAL LOCATION

PET RD SU A; WEYERHAEUSER #1

EXISTING VOLUNTARY/DECLARED UNIT

PROPOSED PET RD SU A

PROPOSED UNIT WELL @ EXCEPTIONAL LOCATION

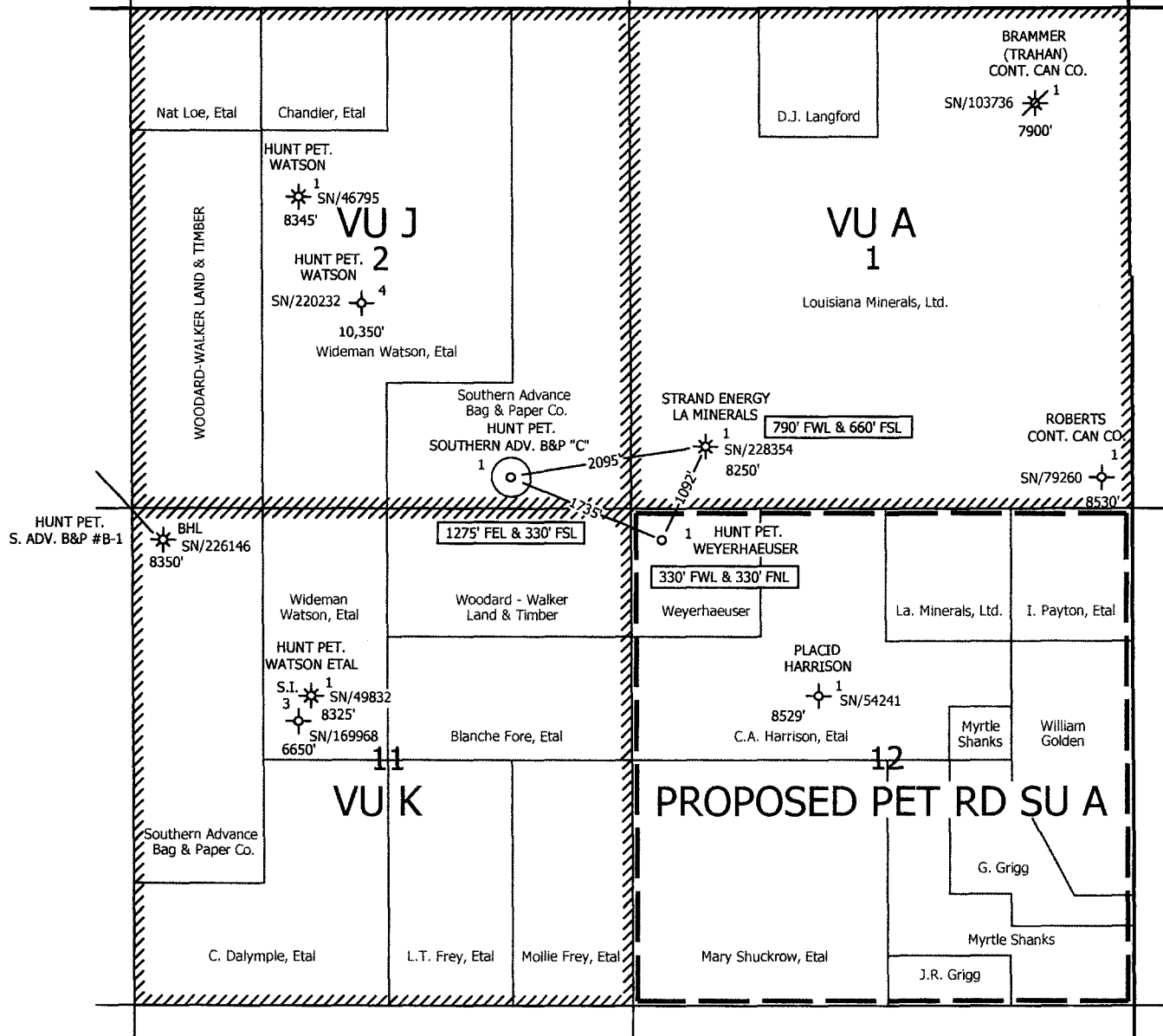


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LUCKY FIELD
BIENVILLE PARISH, LOUISIANA

PLAT SHOWING PROPOSED WELL
AT AN EXCEPTION TO ORDER #29-E FOR PETTET FORMATION
VU J; SOUTHERN ADV. B&P "C" #1

EXHIBIT NO. 2.